GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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National Bulk Drug Development Authority
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has given its approval for setting up of a National Bulk Drugs Development Authority, if so, the details thereof along with the progress on the same; and

(b) the details of other measures that the Government is planning to initiate for making India self-reliant in terms of production of Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs)?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a): No, Madam.

(b): The Government is now examining the viability of supporting the proposal for providing assistance for common minimum facilities for 03 Greenfield Bulk Drugs/ API Parks to the extent of Rs. 200 cr each. Besides this, the Department in association with Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change and Ministry of Commerce & Industry are sorting out the issue relating to the difficulties being faced by the Bulk Drug Manufacturers relating to Environmental issues.

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